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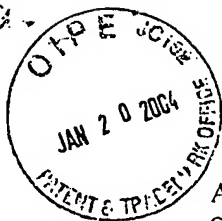
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Applicant : VENTURELLI
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED

Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted, mailed on November 6, 2003 please find enclosed a copy of the application as filed on July 24, 2003, evidencing the timely filing of the executed inventor(s) Declaration. We note that no fee is due in view of the timely filing of the inventor(s) Declaration.

We trust that this matter is in order, but if there is any further action required please advise us immediately.

Respectfully submitted
for Applicant(s)

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